## GAYEST SOCIAL SEASON IN YEARS.

The Four Hundred Making Great Preparations for Entertainments.

OPENING OF TOWN HOUSES

Horse Show Week Will Start the Busy Part of New York's Social Fun.

THE VANDERBILTS TO ENTERTAIN

Plans of the Astors, the Sloanes, the Webbs, the Millses, the Whitneys and Others Who Make Society Merry.

The gayest social season New York has ever seen is now in prospect. While many of the society folk are still at the seaside, abroad or in the country, their town iouses are being prepared for reoccupation and functions of the most elaborate sort. Plans, as now entertained by many

THE VANDERBILTS, now out of rning, are expected to do their share ning, are expected to do their share more of the entertaining.

S. W. SEWARD WEBB is at Shels Farms, the Webb country place ake Champlain, and W. Seward h off on a far Western trip.

AND MRS. WILLIAM DOUG-SHOANE and family are at their mes home at Lebox, Mass.

AND MRS. H. McKAY TWOM-and family are at their words and family are at their Morriscountry seat.

S. ELLIOTT F. SHEPARD and ion-in-law and daughter, Mr. and

AND MRS. FREDERIC W. VAN-

To Go Abroad. AND MRS. CORNELIUS VAN-

MRS ALFRED DUANE PELL-Per

MRS. ALFRED DUANE PELL—Perhaps the most interesting of the grand establishments soon to be opened for the Winter season will be that of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Duane Pell on Fifth arenue and Seventy-fourth street. Mr. and Mrs. Pell, who are now en route to Californa, will be back on October 16. The latter, it will be recalled, was Miss Cornella Crosby, and the weedling of the couple was celebrated in June. They will entertain, it is said, on a scale commensurate with their house, no wthe largest private one in town. It combines the famous Pickhardt manslen, which cost the original owner \$1.450,000, though he never occupied it, and the adjoining house, No. 2 East Seventy-fourth street, owned by Mr. Pell. Society is intensely interested to view the interior. In addition to all the wonderful embellishments of decoration and furniture, there will be the unrivalled collection of old sliver and bricea-brac of the owner.

MRS. OLIVER HARRIMAN has al-

brie-a-brac of the owner.

MRS, OLIVER HARRIMAN has already reopened her town house at No.

West Fifty seventh street, for the scason. She is at present off on a short trip. Mrs. Harriman found that so many of her friends were still absent that she did not quite feel like settling down herself.

A Series of House Parties. MR. AND MRS. OGDEN MILLS, who summered at Newport, are now again at the

MR. AND MRS. OGDEN MILLS, who summered at Newport, are now again at the old Livingston country seat at Hyde-Park-on-the-Hudson. They have a succession of house parties invited for the Autumn, Mr. and Mrs. Mills will not be fairly located in their house at No. 2 East Sixty-fluth street until January 1. They will come to town, though, accadonally, to attend the Horse Show or any functions of interest.

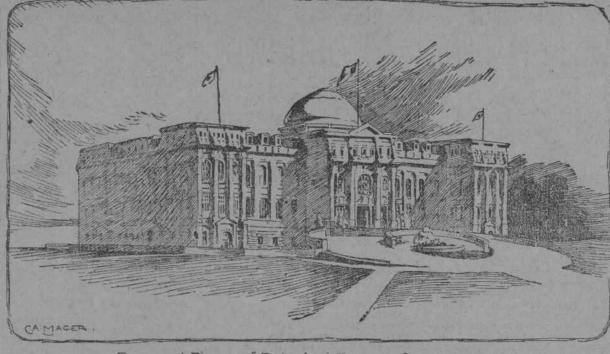
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY—Any one taking 2 look now at the residence of William C. Whitney, at Fifth avenue and Sixty-righth street, would limagine that the ewice was not likely to be in possession for many a long day. Portlons of the big house are literally torn out, such as one aide and the entire upper floor. There is a whole army of workmen in possession. The new ballroom and conservatory will be gorgeous, and with the new entrance on the side, the house will be one of the handsomest facing the Park. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney are now sejourning on October Mountain. They will pass the Autumn at their Long Island country residence. The Whitneys are expected to be among the chief entertainers this Winter.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT W. TAILER and Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Tailer are not expected to return to their home. No. 16 East Seventy-second street, until late in October. Meanwhile they will remain at Richaeld Springs.

MR. AND MRS. H. VICTOR NEWCOMB, of No. 683 Fifth svenue, will remain until October is at the Eiberon Hotel, Elberon, N. J.

The Morton House.

LEVI F. MORTON-From the appear-



Proposed Fireproof Botanical Museum for Bronx Park,

HERE is a split in the Mayor's cabinet over the \$500,000 appropriation for the Botanical Garden in Bronx Park. The Park Board has asked the Board of Estimate to vote the money, under instruction of the Legislature, and a resolution of its own, for the construction and equipment of a suitable fireproof building, with lecture rooms and offices, and for various other structures for the propagation and cultivation of plants, etc. A handsome drawing of the museum by Architect Gibson, has been shown. This is to cost \$349,000. The hothouses are to cost \$151,000.

The Comptroller started the diff-ulty by suggesting to the Mayor that "perhaps he would like to have a pub-He hearing on the project."

'What I object to," added Fitch, "Is the tone and manner of the society. One of its professors came into my office to see me about the plans, and his demeanor was such that I wondered if the society had obtained absolute ownership of Bronx Park and the city treasury."

Mayor Strong took up the cudgels for the society and the Park Board. He said he agreed with the Park Board in rejecting plans of the experts, Sargent, Olmstead and Hastings. They were not as expert in the making of a botanical outfit, he said, as some of the gentlemen connected with the society.

Mr. Jeroloman finally proposed that the matter be referred to Corporation Counsel Scott, and it was so

OHAUNCEY M. DEPEW-The re-MRS. HERMANN OEL-

AND MRS. HENRY SLOANE

Decorators at Work. MR. AND MRS. HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY bit it off so well in the alterations of the course they bought at Newport that no doubt they were en-couraged to try their hand on their

MR AND MRS. HENRY MORTIMER BROOKS will reopen their house, No. 1 East Forty-fifth street, somewhat late in October. They will be the guests for most of the month of Mrs. Brooks's brother, Eugene Higgins, at his country house at Morristown. He will enterisin a large house party meanwhite. Some amateur entertainments are as usual projected. Mr. Higgins is himself an expert juggler.

COLONEL AND MRS. WILLIAM JAY will reopen their town house, No. 22 East Seventy-second street, on October 15. They were for a few weeks recently the guests of Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmonit at Marble House, Newport. At the present time they are sojourning at the old Jay country seat at Katenah, N. Y.

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Not until the week before the borse show opens will Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Trevor locate for the Winter at No. 6 East Forty-fifth street. They are enjoying the outdoor pleasures still at Southampton, and no later than last Thursday night gave a gay dance at their cottage there.

MR. AND MRS, T. J. OAKLEY RHINELANDER will locate in their new town residence, No. 24 West Fifty-second street, early in October. They have heretofore since their marriage lived during the Winter season at the Buckinghum Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Rhinelander have visited a number of places during the past Summer.

MR. AND MRS. ANSON PHELPS STOKES will take possession of their Medison avenue residence before horse show week. Mrs. Stokes is one of the half dozen most lavish entertainers in tawn, and the fact that she was abroad last Winter was much deplored. There are now three roung women going about in the family, the Misses Caroline, Mildred and Heien Stokes. The former was presented in London last May to the Queen at a drawing room.

MR. AND MRS. SIDNEY J. SMITH, who were at Newport for several weeks during the scason, will only reopen their house here on Washington square in time for the horse show. They will linger meanwhile at Hempstead. Mr. Smith would not on any account miss the hunting senson.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE B. DE FOREST will not return to their home here, No. 14 East Fiftieth street, until the first week in November. She will romain during the early Antumn at the Havemeyer farm, at Mahwah. N. J.

PLANS OF THE PIERSONS.—General and Mrs. J. Fred Plerson will not close their Newport cottage and reopen their town house, No. 24 West Infirefourth street, before the middle of October, Miss Duisy Plerson and Miss Addie Plerson will both assist as attendants at the wedding of their brother. J. Fred Plerson, Jr., and Miss Susan Miles, on November 20. The entire family, as well as a party of relatives and friends will go to New Orleans for this occasion.

COLONEL AND MRS, DAVID BROWN—Not

Wagon Pole Penetrated Her She Killed Herself to Make Body and She May Not Recover.

Struck Down While Riding Along West Broadway.

To the Public:

In case of an accident to a bicycle rider, resulting from the negligence or mallclousness of the driver of any vehicle, please notify at once THOMAS G. FENNELL. Journal's Bicycle Attorney,

Tribune Bullding. N. B .- Send names and addresses of eye-witnesses. /

Maurice Fox, twenty-six years old, of No. 258 Baltic street, Brooklyn, was a prisoner in the Centre Street Police Court yesterday morning on a charge of running down a young woman on a bicycle on Friday evening. He was held in the sum of \$500 for examination on next Wednesday.

According to the statements of eyewit-nesses Fox was driving a team of horses attached to a heavy wagon through Vesey street. At the corner of West Broadway he turned his horses northward, just as being torn up.

MIS Louise Weise, nineteen years old, of
MR AND MRS. HENRY MORTIMER

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# WOMAN CYCLIST. BE BURIED TO-DAY

One Mouth Less to Feed.

DRIVER IS REMANDED, SADNESS AT HER HOME. Havana are indignant over the flagrant mis-

## VOTED FOR BRYAN.

Inside Information for Nine Million Dollars Reve- Maximo Gomez Wins an Loyal Leaguer McDonald.

Parker Was Loyal to the Ticket.

The following telegrams received yester-

inckett and Chief Clerk Reuben L. Fox.
Previous to this, at the meeting of the
Democratic State Committee, he wanted
to support Parker, despite the refusal of
the committee to readin the Chicago
district the cound lay hands on, and
Loyal Democratic League into two factions
At that time he was openly accused of
having Parker money in his pocket, but he
denied it.

Mr. McDonald's next jump was into the

Miss Weise, the Victim, Was Friends Have Sent Money to the thropists to the Spanish Red Cross Society

The funeral of Maggle McMahon, the fifteen-year-old girl who committed suiede on Thursday so as to give her hard-work.

The funeral of Maggle McMahon, the fifteen-year-old girl who committed suiede on Thursday so as to give her hard-work ing mother one mouth less to feed, will be held this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

In the front room of the humble house in the house in the basement of No. 405 East One Hundred and Sixth street, the body law for her post and supplies previously received from the factory where, the body law for house their visitors and friends.

The retry gills face was in absolute repose. There was no sign of the bilistering of the acid that had brought death, or was there a sign of agony.

Maggle had two weeks ago been displayed the first here of the family, and they exceed the first here of the family and they exceed the first here of the family, and they exceed the first here of the family, and they exceed the first here of the family, and they exceed the first here of the family, and they exceed the first had been affaid to tell the specific will, it is believed, and work here is seven children besides herself. Here we brothers were out of work, here had gone away, no one knew ther. She had been affaid to tell the will be some out of work, but told her mother, fiter day, that the factory had stope and the self that had been affaid to tell the specific will, it is believed, account of the family, and the self the first reached Havana, out of work, but told her mother, fiter day, that the factory had stope and t

### G. N. Y.'S HUGE A CUBAN CITY POST OFFICE.

nue from 56 Minor Stations.

HE WIRED BOLD THREATS, FREE DELIVERIES ADDED. FORCES WELL SUPPLIED.

Democratic Leaders Declare That Many Small Towns Will Be Havana Is Astir and Troops Are Greatly Benefited by the Consolidation.

Day by day the citizens of the metropol-The following telegrams received yester.

Day by the Democratic nominee for Chief Itan district, now called the Greater New Havana. Sept. 18, via Key West.—Gen-

The above whirlwind messages place
Henry M. McDonaid, the agile President of the Loyal Democratic League, in a new light.

It will be recalled that the recalled that the last of the property of the last of the It will be recalled that on Friday a Journal reporter found him in the enemy's camp at Republican State Head-quarters, at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, in conference with Chairman Charles W. Haven Charles Charles

decided it.

Mr. McDonald's next jump was into the Republican web at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. When discovered by the Journal reporter his consternation was unfelgued. He promised to explain everything the next day.

And now these telegrams!

The highest possible authority in Democratic circles assured the Journal positively yesterday that Judge Parker had voted for Bryan, and that there had never been any oversion wintever among his friends as to Consent along the first of the insurgents have destroyed from the finds that there are no less than fity-six post offices which will be embraced in the district to be consolidated outside of the New Yor and Brooklyn offices proper. These include thirty-six fourth class post offices, whose postmasters that there are no less than fity-six post offices which will be embraced in the district to be consolidated outside of the New Yor and Brooklyn offices. They are supplied in many costs with Remington rifles and the infamous brass-tipped ammunition that no civilized government uses in war.

Pincetas is one of the largest and most important towns in Santa Clare provinces. and that there had never been any and who are appointed by the Postmaster and who are appointed by the Postmaster important towns in Santa Clara province, loyalty in that respect.

CHARITY FUNDS AWRY.

Englishmen in Havana Say Red Cross
Donations Have Been Misappropriated.

Havana, Cuba, Sept. 17.—Englishmen in Havana are indignant over the flagrant misappropriation of the sum of £3,500 recently.

General; nine third class post offices, whose salaries run from \$2,000 to \$2,000 a year; ten second class post offices, whose salaries run from \$2,000 per annum, and three first class post offices. New York, Brooklyn and Floral Park.

The accompanying table presents other. Instructive facts. The gross receipts from all the post offices in the United States last year were \$82,400,208. Of this enormous total title more than \$0,000,000.

On the other side of the ledger, Uncle Sam

proved of her plans, and Weyler refused her a salvo conducto. Later she was induced to accept a post as nurse in the Spanish military hospital.

He Came in a Hurry,

At a certain old-fashioned country church serior. At the clears of West Brookays.

It used his bears arrivant, jet of the control of the c

Important Victory in Santa Clara.

Being Shoved to the Eastern End of the Island.

By Karl Decker.

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